

**Staff Use Only:**

Council District 18

This application is a

Reappointment

New Appointment

# GREENVILLE COUNTY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

Planning Commission

(Name of Board or Commission to which you are applying)

An individual may only apply to serve on one board or commission during any election cycle.

In order for your application to be given consideration, it is critical that you answer all of the following questions as completely as possible.

Mr  Mrs  Ms  Miss Name Michael Frank Barnes

Home Address 2110 N Highway 14 City Greer

Zip 29651 Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Voter Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*You must be registered to vote in Greenville County at the time of application**

Occupation Towing and Recovery

Employer Barnes Towing

EmployerAddress 2110 N. Hwy. 14  
Greer, SC 29651

**Volunteer Experience** \_\_\_\_\_

As an active member of Northwood Baptist Church, I volunteer on several committees for fundraising and outreach programs. I have been fundraising for Greer Relay for Life for 10 years. Much of the money raised is spent to help local patients with Cancer treatments and care. I also participate with the Rotary Foundation of Greer. Greer's Rotary works with school programs that help less fortunate children. For well over 30 years I have been a member of the Masonic Lodge and Hejaz Shrine Templ

**Do you currently hold any elected or appointed office or commission** Yes

**If yes, list** Currently a Commissioner for Greenville County Planning

**Have you previously held any elected or appointed office or commission?** No

**If yes, list** \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been fined for any ethics violations? No

If so, please comment  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Describe your understanding of the role of a member of the board or commission to which you are applying \_\_\_\_\_  
It is my understanding that the Planning Commission is to provide input on items brought to the Commission by the staff and  
make recommendations to the County Council on zoning issues and other matters.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever attended a meeting of this board or commission?  Yes  No

Are you available to meet at the regularly scheduled date and time of the board or commission meeting?  Yes  No

If appointed, will you pledge to faithfully attend the meetings?  Yes  No

How many hours/week are you available to give to this board of commission? as needed

What specific skills do you believe you could contribute as a member of this board or commission? \_\_\_\_\_  
As a local business owner for over 40 years, I am able to service clients in stressful situations. I possess excellent  
communication skills and am prepared to attend all meetings.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Highest Degree Earned High School Diploma

School Attended Greer High School

Field Of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have expertise in any of the following areas (check all that apply).

Tourism Industry

Cultural / Arts

Restaurant

Hotel Management

Architectural

Fire Protection Eng / Contractor

Electrical Engineer / Contractor

Design/Architectural / Professional Contractor

Structural Engineer / Contractor

Mechanical Engineer / Contractor

Plumbing Engineer / Contractor

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation? If so, please give details

Yes  No

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Are you current in payment of Greenville County property taxes?

Yes  No

Do you reside in a municipality? If so, please name.

Yes  No

Do you, any member of your family or a business with which you or a member of your family is associated, provide goods and/or services to this board for payment?

Yes  No

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**Statement**

*By my signature, I state that all information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.*

*I understand it is my responsibility to insure my application is submitted within the application period and that it has been received by the County Council Office.*

*I understand my appointment to the board for which I am applying will not result in me receiving any compensation for my service.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended by \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return completed form to:**

**Greenville County Council  
301 University Ridge, Suite 2400  
Greenville, SC 29601-3665**

If you have questions, please call 467-7115 or check the [www.greenvillecounty.org](http://www.greenvillecounty.org) website.